

No. , 1917.

A BILL

To amend the Forestry Act, 1916.

BE it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Legislative Assembly of New South Wales in Parliament assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:—

1. This Act may be cited as the "Forestry (Amend- Short title.
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2. The Forestry Act, 1916, is amended as follows:—

- Amendments
of Forestry
Act, 1916.
- (1) In section three by the omission of the definition of "exclusive rights".
- (2) In section eleven, subsection one, by the addition of the following paragraphs:—
- Sec. 11 (1).
- (f) permit the removal from any State forest of any stone, sand, clay, gravel, lime, shell, or other similar material;
- (g) permit the removal from any State forest of any fencing, building, or other improvements.
- (3) In subsection two of section thirteen—
- Sec. 13 (2).
- (a) by inserting after the word "licenses" the word "leases";
- (b) by omitting after the word "permits" the words "under this Act"; and
- (c) by inserting after the words "for roads" the words "railways and tramlines, for the purchase or renting of machinery, vessels, or vehicles".
- (4) In section eighteen, subsection one, by omitting the word "Governor" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Minister".
- Sec. 18 (1).
- (5) In section nineteen—
- Sec. 19.
- (a) by omitting in paragraph (a) the word "Governor" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "Minister on the recommendation of the commission";
- (b) in paragraph (b) by omitting the word "Governor" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Minister"; and by inserting after the words "Crown land" the words "reserved from sale."
- (6) In section twenty-two—
- Sec. 22.
- (a) by omitting the word "Governor" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "Minister";
- (b) by omitting the words "on the recommendation of the Minister, and";

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- (c) by inserting before the word "revoke" the words "may on the recommendation of the commission"; and
- (d) by inserting in the second paragraph after the words "become Crown lands" the words "reserved from sale".
- (7) In section twenty-five— Sec. 25 (1).
- (a) in the first proviso to subsection one by omitting the words "Provided that";
- (b) in the same proviso, by omitting the words "such lease or license", and substituting therefor the words "a lease or license within a State forest or timber reserve"; and by omitting the words "current at the time aforesaid" and substituting therefor the words "for which it was granted";
- (c) in the second proviso to the same subsection by omitting the words "Provided also that";
- (d) in the same proviso by omitting the words "such leases or licenses" and substituting therefor the words "leases or licenses within State forests or timber reserves";
- (e) in the last paragraph of the same subsection by omitting the words "this proviso" and substituting therefor the words "the above provision";
- (f) in subsection two by omitting the word Sec. 25 (2).
"such"; and
- (g) by omitting subsection three and substituting therefor the following subsection:—
- (3) Money payable as rent under any lease or license within a State forest or timber reserve shall be received by or credited to the commission.
- (8) Section twenty-seven, by inserting after para- Sec. 27.
graph (b) the following paragraphs:—
- (b 1) digs for, extracts, obtains, or removes from any State forest any stone, clay, sand, gravel, lime, shell, or other similar material; or (b 2)

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- (b 2) removes from any State forest, or damages thereon any fencing, building, or improvements; or
- (9) Section thirty-one, by inserting after the ^{Sec. 31.} words "in respect of Crown lands" in the second paragraph of subsection three, the words "other than timber reserves".
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